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### *"Everybody's Playground"*

## **Fairhaven Debuts Handicap-Accessible Playground**

By Kenneth J. Souza

After nearly two years of fund-raising efforts, the members of the Fairhaven-based volunteer group "Everybody's Playground" can now enjoy their day in the sun next week as a ribbon-cutting ceremony tops off the grand opening of their handicap-accessible playground on Sconticut Neck Road, adjacent to the Leroy L. Wood School. Residents are cordially invited to attend the dedication ceremony, which is slated to take place from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm on Sunday, August 16 and will include music, entertainment and refreshments.

The project grew from a simple need for a handicap-accessible playground where children with and without physical disabilities could interact and play together. For Fairhaven residents Paula Barry and Trina Bigham — the co-chairs of the organization — their personal goals of providing a facility for their physically-challenged sons grew to include all children throughout the Fairhaven area. "Even though Trina and I did this for our sons, the playground is for everyone," Ms. Barry said. "Even our daughter, who is eight, loves it!"

Capping off an effort which was spearheaded by the duo in October of 1996, the public playground was partially-funded by Town Meeting voters (\$50,000) and through private donations in the form of both monetary contributions and donated services. "Between the price of the (playground) toy and the surfacing, donated labor and volunteer services, the total cost was about \$200,000," Ms. Barry said.

Modeling their facility on several existing accessible playgrounds — in particular, Jonathan's Dream in Hartford, CT — the women went to work to design a structure with some local themes in mind. The main structure is essentially a ship with an adjacent fort and towering lighthouse. "We wanted to highlight the history of Fairhaven," Ms. Barry said. "For instance, Fort Patrick is named after my son and recalls Fort Phoenix ... and the ship, the *SS Brennan*, is named after Trina's son. And right in front of the ship will be an eight-foot sign in the shape of a lighthouse with over 330 names inscribed on it."

Those names represent the over 330 individuals and organizations who have sponsored a foot of the playground through their generous donations, and their contributions will remain a permanent part of the public structure.

Entertainment for the grand opening event on August 16 will include children's entertainer Johnny the K, local storyteller Toby Dills, magician Jon Stetson, balloon animal performer Michael Lynn, and special appearances by the New England Patriots' cheerleaders and Miss Massachusetts. There will also be face-painting, a Princess Diana Beanie Baby raffle, an American Doll raffle, and a t-shirt sale. Admission to all festivities is FREE.

For more information on Everybody's Playground and the ribbon-cutting ceremony, please call 996-4361 or 993-0151.

### *Mixing Mediums*

## **Variety Makes for Colorful Marion Exhibit**

An exhibition of original prints opens at the Marion Art Center on Friday, August 7 with a reception from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. The featured artists are Sandra Bilodeau, Mary Dawson, and Gail Marie Nauen. Each one works in a different print medium with styles unique to their personal interpretations of flowers, landscapes, objects and other images.

Sandra Bilodeau has been working in silk screen printing for the past six years. She has taken various art courses at UMass Dartmouth for the past 17 years and recently decided to concentrate on silk screening. Ms. Bilodeau holds a Bachelor of Art degree from the University of Miami and studied oil painting with Richard Merrick there. She has exhibited her work in group shows at the Marion Art Center and also at the Dartmouth Gallery. She has worked as a poster artist for a local garden club and other organizations. "I have been asked to do art work for posters since I was in second grade," Ms. Bilodeau said. "It is part of my life." She lives

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*On the cover: The new handicap-accessible playground facility near the Leroy Wood School on Sconticut Neck Road in Fairhaven is just about ready to welcome children during a planned Grand Opening on August 16. "Everybody's Playground" is the result of two years' worth of planning and fund-raising on the part of Fairhaven residents Paula Barry and Trina Bigham, who wanted to provide a place where their sons could play alongside their siblings and friends. (Photo by Kenneth J. Souza).*

*Cover insert: This collagraph, titled "Trees and Branches" by artist Mary Dawson, is just one of the many mixed media works on display at the Marion Art Center starting August 7. The print show also features work by Sandra Bilodeau and Gail Marie Nauen and an Opening Reception to meet the artists will be held on Friday, August 7 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. (Photo courtesy of Marion Art Center).*

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in Mattapoisett and has a studio in her home. This is her first show in a three-person exhibit.

Mary Cleaves Dawson received a BS in Painting and Design from Carnegie Institute of Technology. She later studied collagraph printmaking at New England School of Art and Design in Boston with Mary Ann Wenniger. Collagraphs are one of Ms. Dawson's favorite media. The technique for these edition prints involves pasted-up, painted-on, rolled-over, cut-into collages used as printing plates. "The exciting possibilities, new challenges and disciplines of collagraphs have become my current main activity," Ms. Dawson said. She has exhibited at the Cambridge Art Association, The Copley Society, Onset Bay Gallery, Wenniger Graphics, Botolph Gallery, Gallery of World Art, and locally at the Marion Art Center and Rogers Gallery. She was selected for the Channel 2 Collection in 1981 and 1982, and she resides in Marion and has a studio there.

Gail Marie Nauen is a graphic designer and printmaker who works out of her Old Main Street home in Carver, MA. Ms. Nauen primarily works in monotypes and oil bar on paper. With monotypes, the artist paints directly onto a glass plate that is then rolled through a press. A single mirror image is produced, but often enough paint is left over to make a second, lighter print called a "ghost." "With prints you never know what's going to happen," Ms. Nauen said. "You never know what you're going to come out with." Several years ago

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Ms. Nauen decided to focus on local landscapes, especially the cranberry bogs.

"It's so quiet and peaceful out there that you begin responding in a very direct way to everything around you," she said. She received a BFA from UMass Dartmouth and also studied at Parsons School of Design in New York. Ms. Nauen has won numerous awards and has participated in juried solo and group shows throughout New England. She is a member of the Monotype Guild, the North River Arts Society, and the Cranberry Growers Association. She was interviewed on the *Today Show* in 1996 for her unique style of documenting the landscapes of the bogs in all seasons.

All three artists will explain their various printmaking techniques at the opening. The show will be installed in both galleries at the Marion Art Center through September 2. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm, and Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Admission is FREE and the Art Center is located at the corner of Main and Pleasant Streets in Marion. For more information, please call 748-1266.

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### Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting

*August 4, 1998*

**By Kenneth J. Souza**

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, August 4 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Paul Lambalot. Also present were Selectman Barry Denham and Executive Secretary Carol Adams.

At 7:00 pm the board met with State Representative William Straus who wanted to update them on pending legislation which would extend the state's revolving loan program for such projects as the current Ned's Point sewer extension. "There is a provision in the state budget on the revolving loan program which would extend the 20-year, interest-free revolving loan to 30 years," Representative Straus said. "The longer payout period will decrease the annual payments assessed to residents in the form of betterments. Once approved, this could decrease betterment fees by as much as 20 or 30 percent."

Although the budget hasn't been approved as of yet, Representative Straus noted that Acting Governor Paul Cellucci hasn't vetoed the measure either, which leads him to believe it will pass muster. "It's a good subsidy because it's an interest-free loan from the state," he said. With an average annual betterment charge of \$11,000, this would save home owners anywhere from \$200 to \$300 each year. Representative Straus agreed to prepare a handout explaining the program which could be distributed at the August 24 Special Town Meeting.

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After unanimously approving the minutes of the July 7 and July 21 meetings, the board approved a request for an auctioneer's license for the Hearts and Hands benefit slated for the upcoming weekend, and also granted permission for the Board of Health to seek the advice of Town Counsel relative to disposing of surplus equipment from the landfill. But Selectman Denham wanted to know why legal expenses were being taken out of the general fund when the Landfill Enterprise Fund should be able to handle its own expenses. "I don't know why they can't hire Town Counsel out of their expense



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account," he said.

Both Selectman Lambalot and Ms. Adams suggested this would require a separate line item within the Landfill Enterprise Fund and should, therefore, be taken up as part of the budget process. Ms. Adams said she would check with Health Agent Dale Barrows as to whether this might be possible.

The board also signed a Certificate of Appreciation for Donald Moran, who was retiring from the Mattapoissett Police Department after 38 years of service. A retirement party was planned for Mr. Moran later that evening.

Under incoming correspondence for the week, the board received:

- Letter of thanks from Paula Pangaro, daughter of the late Len Roberts, expressing her appreciation for the wonderful tribute which the board's secretary, Melody Pacheco, planned for her father during the recent "Harbor Days" celebration.

- Invitation for the board to attend "Southeastern Mass: Vision 2020 Task Force on Growth and Change in Southeastern Massachusetts" which will be held on Monday, August 17 from 6:30 to 8:30 pm aboard the HMS



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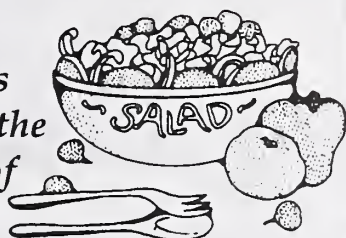
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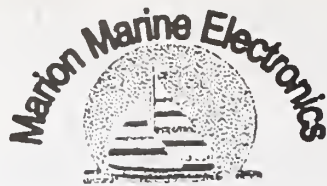
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• Letter from Representative Straus to the Department of Housing and Community Development supporting the MEIGS Grant application submitted by the SouthCoast emPOWERment group. "This organization is constituted, pursuant to the new law, to advance an aggregation plan for the purchase of electrical power in the SouthCoast region," Representative Straus wrote.

• Library Trustee Chairman Bette Roberts sent a reminder to the board that they need to appoint a town representative to serve on the Selections Committee for the Phil Zeimetz Volunteer Award. The selection will be made this coming fall. Ms. Adams graciously volunteered to serve in that capacity, and the board unanimously agreed to appoint her as the representative.

• District Highway Engineer Bernard McCourt notified the board that the underground fuel tank located at the maintenance depot on North Street will be removed and replaced as per the state requirements that all such tanks be replaced by December of this year.

• Request from Superintendent of Schools Elizabeth Quinn to dispose of a broken refrigerator and cooler at Old Hammondtown School as voted at the June 20 Mattapoisett School Committee meeting. The

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• Susan King, Regional Manager of Governmental Affairs for SEMASS, forwarded correspondence regarding the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) regulations raising emission standards. The DEP is trying to raise emission standards for incinerators which would result in a price increase for all towns associated with SEMASS. The Board of Selectmen is urged to contact their local legislators to

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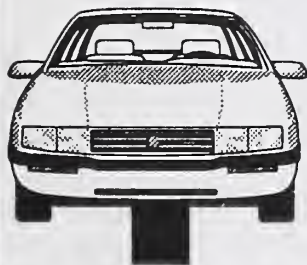
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Selectman Lambalot agreed that this should be forwarded to both Representative Straus and State Senator Marc Pacheco for their response and reaction.

Ms. Adams wanted to remind everyone that the Special Town Meeting has been scheduled for Monday, August 24 at 7:30 pm in the auditorium of Old Rochester Regional High School. The purpose of the meeting is to consider an increase in the scope of the Ned's Point Sewer Project to encompass additional homes in the area.

Both Chairman Lambalot and Selectman Denham noted that the expansion and renovation work at the Town Hall is nearly complete. The new handicap-accessible first-floor meeting room just needs a little more "touch up" work before being put to use. The town's Cable Advisory Committee will be meeting with them at a later date to determine the best approach to setting up video cameras for the taping of future Selectmen's meetings.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 7:25 pm.

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August 3, 1998

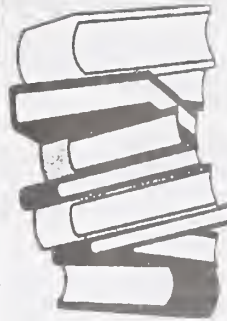
By Kenneth J. Souza

A regular meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order on Monday, August 3 at 7:06 pm by Chairman Richard D. Cutler. Also present were Selectman Naida L. Parker and Executive Secretary Russell Dean.

After approving the minutes of the July 20 meeting and the Executive Session minutes of the same evening, the board met briefly with Fire Chief Scott Ashworth regarding the recent reminder from the state that the deadline is fast-approaching to remove all underground gasoline storage tanks in town. "I found there were approximately six underground (gasoline) tanks still in use in town," Chief Ashworth said. "One individual has two tanks and has already purchased the replacement tanks ... they just need to be installed. All the others have been replaced and brought up to date."

Chief Ashworth noted that the general practice is to issue permits for such fuel tanks for five-year periods, and he consulted the State Fire Marshal's office and they confirmed most cities and town grant five-year permits. Other underground tanks used for oil and/or home fuel storage do not fall under this new restriction. "This is only for gasoline tanks ... home fuel (tanks) are exempt," Chief Ashworth said. "The deadline to replace the tanks is December 21. We're in pretty good shape right now

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At 7:15 pm the board met with members of the Mary's Pond Beach Committee and abutter Paul Lund to discuss pending plans for the beach area. The board explained that they've been working with Mr. Lund to come to a mutual agreement on access to the beach via his property. Scott Muller of the Mary's Pond Beach Committee noted that Highway Surveyor Jeff Eldridge has been in contact with the Public Access Board (PAB) to arrange an easement over Mr. Lund's property to the waterfront. "We had a topographical map done of the area to determine the best public access to the site," Mr. Muller said.

Mr. Lund said he attended the last meeting of the committee and "everything looks good on paper" with regards to his proposed easement agreement drafted by his attorney. "The easement document will now be going to Town Counsel for review," Chairman Cutler said, "then we can proceed from there."

When committee member Georgia Chamberlain asked if the easement would be in force only while Mr. Lund retained the property of it would remain a condition of sale in the future, Chairman Cutler said it was always his intention to make the easement a permanent component of the property. "It doesn't make sense to land-lock the (beach) property," he said. "It will be included as part of the deed."

Members of the committee also noted that they voted to have Russell Dean serve as their liaison to the.

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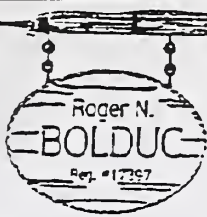
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Board of Selectmen and also elected Jeff Eldridge as the beach's site manager. Selectman Parker suggested that the committee keep them informed at each and every stage of the project so the public is well-aware of their progress. Funding for the project will come out of the \$50,000 appropriated by Town Meeting voters.

At 7:36 pm the board met with Patrick Rogers, Esquire and Police Chief Walter Denham to discuss the chief's proposed reorganization of the Rochester Police Department. Chief Denham has recommended that Mr. Rogers be utilized to administer the testing procedure to select three sergeants for the department which will answer directly to him, thereby eliminating the interim rank of lieutenant formerly held by Jamie Simpson.

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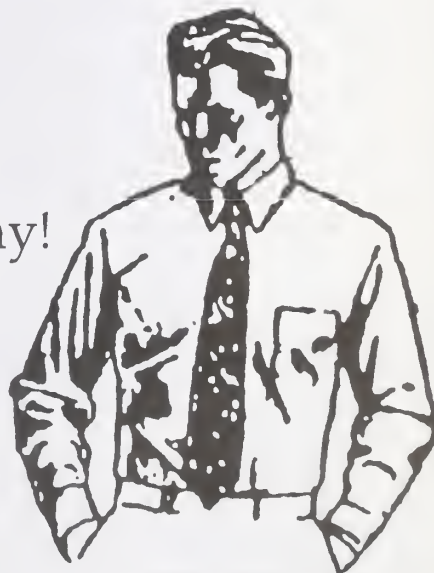
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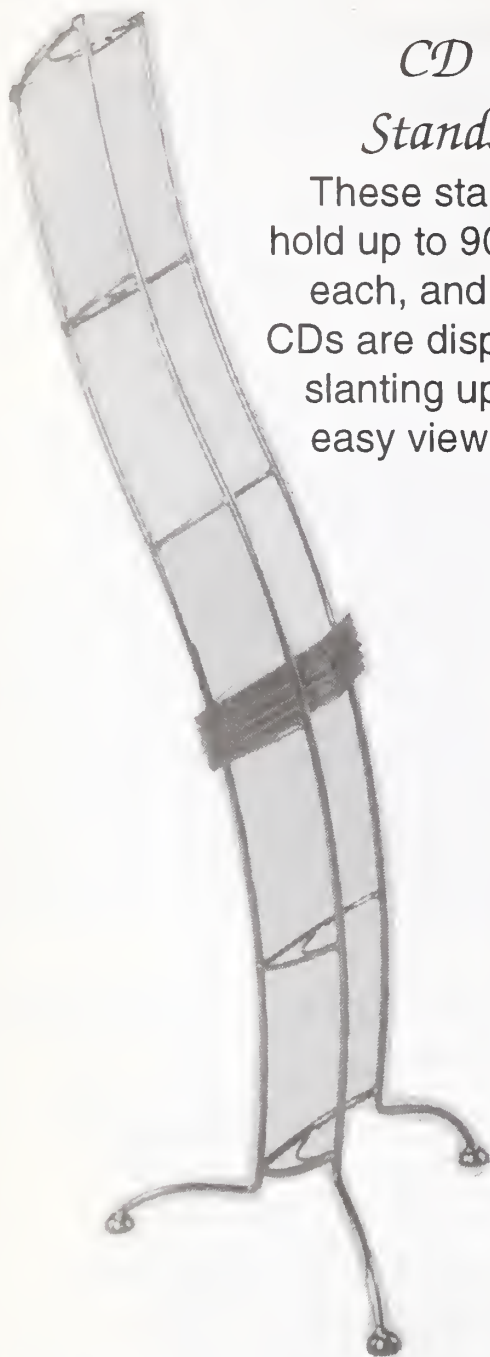
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"The exam format is a simple multiple choice test based on Massachusetts Search and Seizure laws," Mr. Rogers said. "We also include a component on management skills ... (but) the examination can also have a component which is individual to the town. Some municipalities have been concerned about high-speed chases or handling of equipment. If the town or chief has a specific area they'd like to address, we can tailor-make the exam to deal with these issues."

Resident Tony Sol wanted to know why the board was proceeding with reorganizing the police department when it was his understanding that former lieutenant Jamie Simpson was seeking litigation against the town for demoting him. "We are not aware of any law suit pending against the town," Chairman Cutler said. Selectman Parker agreed: "(Jamie) Simpson has not filed any law suit against the town that I am aware of ... either as Town Clerk or Selectman. I have not received any paperwork."

When asked about the subsequent interview process for candidates by Chairman Cutler, Mr. Rogers noted that he usually recommends a panel comprised of other ranking police officials from outside of town, along with town representatives and someone from the Criminal Justice Training Council to judge the candidates' law enforcement knowledge. "For example, we just assisted Freetown in selecting a new Chief of Police," Mr. Rogers said. "I put together a board comprised of area police chiefs and a representative from the Criminal Justice Training Council and they interviewed the candidates and shared their recommendations with the Board of Selectmen."

Chairman Cutler also asked how much emphasis is placed on the written portion of the exam versus the results based on interviews, credentials, and past service to the town. "Again, that depends on the town," Mr.

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Rogers said. "The written exam can count for anywhere between 40 and 60 percent. But you also have to consider the candidates' seniority and personal interview. A lot can be based on the oral interview."

Mr. Rogers recommended that potential candidates be given at least three months to prepare for the test, and they also offer training as part of their testing service. If approved by the Selectmen, Chief Denham had previously suggested moving forward with this procedure within 60 days, which Mr. Rogers said is feasible.

After digesting all this information, the board agreed to hold this matter until their next meeting before making a final recommendation. "I think it would be prudent to wait until next week when we have a full board to vote on this," Chairman Cutler said.

In other business, Chairman Cutler noted that Building Inspector Robert Francis sent a memo regarding ongoing problems with property located at 519 County Road. Mr. Francis would like to seek the advice of Town Counsel in bringing possible litigation against the owners. The board unanimously approved the request.

Mr. Dean advised the board that he has narrowed down the potential candidates to fill the Town Hall clerk's position formerly held by Kelly Hartley to six after a recent round of interviews. He will be bringing his final recommendation before the Personnel Board later this week.



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He added: "Bulky items including appliances and household trash can be disposed of at the Marion Transfer Station by Rochester residents. The residents must first purchase a sticker at the Rochester Town Hall for \$3. Tires and brush will not be accepted. If residents have questions about items, they can call the Marion DPW at 748-3540. The Transfer Station hours are Monday through Saturday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm."

In a related matter regarding trash pick-up complaints, Mr. Barrows noted: "ABC Disposal, Inc. of New Bedford is the current contractor and they were also our former contractor before Waste Management got the contract in 1996. ABC Disposal, Inc. has done an excellent job so far and to the best of my knowledge there have been no major problems. If residents' rubbish does not get picked up, they can call ABC Disposal directly at 995-0544."

There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 8:50 pm.



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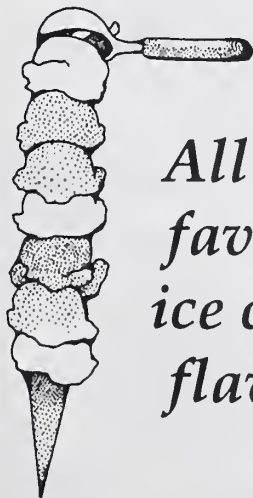


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A "dream come true" describes the six-game tournament display of pitching and power-hitting the Spartans put together to earn the school's first baseball state championship. "We have two number one pitchers," Coach McCarthy said. Osuch (9-2) and Jachimczyk (9-1) were a formidable pair for the 19-5 squad that finished the regular season in third place in the tough Eastern Athletic Conference.

In the tournament, Osuch and Jachimczyk won three games each on the mound as the team held all its opponents to four runs or fewer. In the championship, Jachimczyk limited the Rams to two runs and struck out nine over six innings. Osuch pitched the final inning and caught the game-ending pop out.

Outscoring their opponents, 49 to 15 overall, the Spartans blasted fourteen homers in the five games leading up to the Fenway finale. Osuch homered in four tourney games including a grand slam in the South Sectional final, a 16 to 4 win over West Bridgewater in which junior catcher Dave Gagliardi of Rochester homered twice. In the EMass Final versus Wilmington, Osuch, Jachimczyk, and senior Kevin Oliveira of Mattapoisett connected for home runs in the fourth inning

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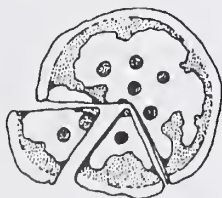
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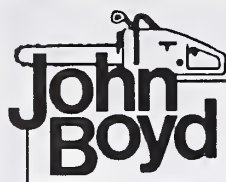
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Sincerely,  
Patricia McCarthy  
Mattapoisett Woman's Club

To the Editor:

*[Editor's Note: The following is an Open Letter to the residents of Fairhaven.]*

On Sunday, August 16, 1998, you are invited to the Grand Opening of Everybody's Playground. It has been a long time in coming, but the time to say thank you is finally here. There will be a ribbon-cutting ceremony at 10:00 am. This will also be the time that we will unveil our sign displaying over 300 names of individuals and organizations that sponsored a foot for our playground. We will have live entertainment — children's entertainer Johnny the K, local storyteller Toby Dills, local magician Jon Stetson, the Patriot cheerleaders, and the Balloon Animal Michael Lynn. We will also have face painting, a Princess Diana Beanie Baby raffle, an American Doll raffle, t-shirts for sale, and refreshments. Admission is FREE. Just come

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Sincerely,  
Paula J. Barry, Co-Chairman  
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### Coastline Elderly Lunch Menu


*Editor's Note: While schools are on summer vacation, the weekly lunch menus for Coastline Elderly Services will appear here in the regular news section. The menu will return to the Regional Lunch Menus page in the fall.*

- **Monday, August 10** - Barbecued chicken leg, hot German potato salad, green beans, light rye bread, tapioca pudding.
- **Tuesday, August 11** - Pork patty with gravy, whipped potato, carrots, oatmeal roll, applesauce.
- **Wednesday, August 12** - Macaroni and cheese, escalloped tomato, club roll, cherry cobbler.
- **Thursday, August 13** - Asian beef casserole, far east rice,






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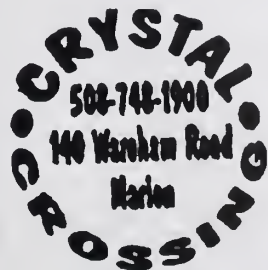
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## Mattapoisett Library Meeting

The Friends of the Mattapoisett Library will meet at 7:30 pm on Tuesday, August 11 to approve new by-laws and elect officers and board members for 1998-1999. The meeting will be held at the Mattapoisett Senior Center, located in the Knights of Columbus Hall on Route 6 in Mattapoisett. All those interested in supporting the library, whether already a member or interested in learning more about the group, are invited to attend.

Library Director Sue Tweedy will update members on the library's planned renovation and addition. The library recently received Town Meeting approval for \$40,000 to hire an architect for the project. The group hopes to establish a rental library for best-sellers, enlarge the videotape and audio tape collections, fund additional passes to area museums, conduct computer workshops and provide onsite child care for special library programs. Annual membership is \$10 per person, \$15 per family, \$5 for seniors (age 60 or older) and young adults (age 13 to 18), and \$25 for a patron. All donations are tax-deductible.

## Marion Concert Band

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After a brief intermission, the concert will resume with "The Golden Ear (Paso Doble)" (M. San Miguel); "Martinique" (R. Washburn); "Pan-American Promenade" (D. Bennett); "Spanish Flea" (J. Wechter); and "Commandante (Marche Espagnole)" (G. Guentzel). The concert, under the direction of Tobias Monte, will begin at 7:30 pm at the Robert Broomhead Bandstand on Island Wharf off Front Street in Marion. All concerts are FREE and open to the public.

The program is supported, in part, by the Marion Cultural Council, a local agency, the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency, and the National Endowment for the Arts.

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- Sunday, August 9 - Lions Club Breakfast at Rochester Grange Hall, 8:00 to 11:00 am;
- Monday, August 10 - Gilbert Stuart Museum in Saunderstown, RI. Van will leave Town Hall at 9:00 am and price is \$3 per person (lunch out);
- Wednesday, August 12 - Shopping at Shaws in Fairhaven and at Save-A-Lot in New Bedford;
- Wednesday, August 12 - Mattapoisett Band Concert at 7:30 pm (please call the COA office at 763-8723 for transportation);
- Saturday, August 15 - Granny's Attic Sale, 8:00 am to 3:00 pm at Senior Center (inside);
- Saturday, August 15 - Grange Fair Supper at 6:00 pm. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$3 for children, with an auction starting at 7:15 pm;
- Monday, August 17 - Sandwich Glass Museum (lunch out);
- Thursday, August 20 - Tole Painting at Senior Center, 9:00 am to 11:00 am;
- Monday, August 24 - Marion Band Concert at 7:30 pm (please call the COA office at 763-8723 for transportation);
- Thursday, August 27 - Tole Painting at Senior Center, 9:00 am to 11:00 am;
- Saturday, August 29 - SHARE (SERVE) Pick-Up between 11:00 am and 12:30 pm (packages will not be held);
- Monday, August 31 - Shopping at Christmas Tree Shop in Yarmouth (lunch out).

## Historic Acushnet Site Tours

The venerable Whelden Mill is the ruin of one of the earliest water-powered cotton mills in the region. Built in 1814 by whaling master Captain Joseph Whelden, and long inaccessible to the public, it should soon be part of a beautiful historical/nature trail, if the plans of the

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Preparing to apply for a "Recreational Trails Program" grant of the Commonwealth's Department of Environmental Management, members of the Board of Selectmen, the Historical Commission, the Conservation Commission, and others have several times trekked the rough, 1,600-foot trail through woods, wet meadows and underbrush-choked paths, making plans for the commission's latest project.

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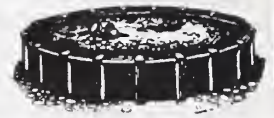
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## Teddy Bear Parade in Fairhaven

Teddy Bears turning fourteen years old this year may remember the very first Teddy Bear Parade and Picnic at the Millicent Library in Fairhaven. On Wednesday, August 12 at 10:00 am, they'll be parading again. Everyone is welcome to attend with their favorite stuffed bears. Bears of all ages, shapes and sizes will be escorted along the tree-shaded brick sidewalks of the Unitarian Memorial Church, with a short side trip to parade by the seniors of Our Lady's Haven.

Bear owners may bring along wagons or strollers for teddy bears who might have difficulty walking. After the parade, bears and friends can spread blankets on the lawn to share refreshments. Last year hundreds of bears and about 200 humans turned out for the fun event. The annual Teddy Bear Parade and Picnic, organized by Lisa Howard, Children and Youth Services Librarian, serves as the finale of the Millicent Library's Wednesday morning children's programs. For more information about the



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Members of the Mattapoissett Lions Club are selling special reduced price advance tickets for the performances. For circus ticket information, please call Don's Tire at 758-9243. Children under three years of age will be admitted free-of-charge. The Vidbel Circus clowns will be available to pose with children for picture taking,



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On August 15 at 7:00 pm, TACCA will present Bruce and Sharon Marshall in concert with a special supper served at 5:00 pm. A free-will offering will be taken for the meal and concert. Musicians from an early age, the duo have used their gifts to bring the gospel message to many at retreats, youth camps, camp meetings, and concerts.

## Fin, Fur and Feather Club

The Fin, Fur and Feather Club invites the public to join the members at our Chicken Barbecue on Sunday, August 23 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm at the club house, 35 Crystal Spring Road in Mattapoisett. Tickets are \$7 and must be purchased by August 10 by calling 763-2706 or 763-5664.

## Rochester Grange Fair

The 88th Annual Rochester Grange Fair will be held on Saturday, August 15 from 2:00 to 7:00 pm at the Grange Hall on Mary's Pond Road. Admission to the fair is FREE and the event is co-sponsored by Rochester Grange No. 257 and the Massachusetts Department of Agriculture. A ham and bean supper will be held on Saturday night at 6:00 pm with tickets on sale at the door priced at \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 10. An auction will begin shortly thereafter at 7:15 pm.

Exhibits will be received from 2:00 to 4:00 pm and from 7:00 to 9:00 pm on Friday, August 14. All entries will be in place one-half-hour before judging starts. No entries

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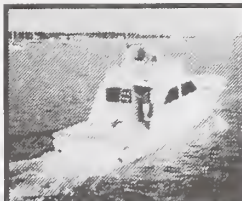
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Members of the 1998 Rochester Grange Fair Committee include: Herbert L. LaFleur (Chairman); Susan M. LaFleur (Secretary); Herbert L. LaFleur (Treasurer); Thomas Gayoski and Paul Ouellette (Agriculture); Lisa Day (Junior and 4H); Beth Gonneville and Irene Jefferson



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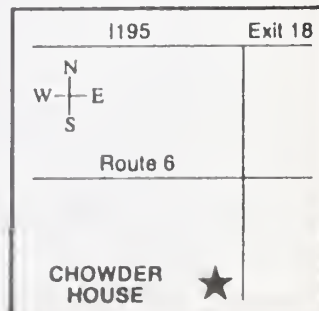
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**Acushnet Business Certificates**

In conformance with the provisions of Chapter 110, Section 5 of the Massachusetts General Laws, all business owners must register with the Town Clerk. A business certificate issued in accordance with this section shall be in force for four years at a cost of \$20. Failure to register could result in a fine of \$300 for each month of violation.

The Acushnet Town Clerk's office is open for business Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. Certificates can be mailed to owners by calling 998-0215.

**Mattapoisett History Museum**

*History of Harbor Continues*

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The following Emergency Procedures will take effect in the event of a hurricane in Mattapoisett:  
2-3 Days Prior to Storm

I. Parking - Two (2) to three (3) days prior to an impending hurricane, the following parking ban will take effect: no parking on both sides of North Street between Church Street and Water Street; no parking on both sides of Water Street and Main Street, between North Street and Route 6. No parking signs will be posted by the Mattapoisett Police Department.

### II. Traffic Flow

1. All traffic along Water and Main Streets will flow one way, from North Street to Church Street, in a northwesterly direction. All side streets will be barricaded.

2. The following streets will be barricaded to traffic at Church Street: Mechanic Street, Cannon Street, Pearl Street, and Barstow Street.

3. Ned's Point Road will be closed from Holly Lane to the water. Any person needing to get to the Mattapoisett Boat Yard must park elsewhere and walk to the boat yard.

### III. Wharf

1. Access to the wharf will be limited to emergency personnel and vehicle hauling boat trailers. No other vehicles will be allowed on the wharf.

### 4-8 Hours Prior to Storm

#### IV. Emergency Evacuation

Residents living in flood-prone areas are advised to evacuate before flooding occurs. Once these areas become flooded, telephone lines may be down and there may be a delay in emergency response service. The following areas are known to flood severely: Crescent Beach, Leisure Shores, Mattapoisett Neck at Town Landing, Molly's Cove, Harbor Beach, Brandt Island, Pico Beach, The Cedars, and lower Aucoot Road.

The Police Department will notify residents to evacuate 4 to 8 hours prior to the storm. Residents are urged to comply with the Police Department's evacuation warning.

#### V. Shelters

Emergency shelters will be set up at Old Rochester Regional High School and the Mattapoisett Fire Station. The Town Nurse will be on duty for anyone requiring medical attention. Any person taking prescription drugs must be certain to bring all medications to shelter.

### 2-4 Hours Prior to Storm

#### VI. Water Department

The following areas will be isolated and will NOT have water for drinking or fire protection: 1. Mattapoisett Neck south of Town Landing; 2. Harbor Beach; 3. Prospect Road, from Pine Island south through Crescent Beach, Point Connett, Cove Street, and Nye's Cove; 4. Pico Beach; 5. Pease's Point, from Third Street south.

### During Storm

#### VII. Wharf

No one will be allowed ANYWHERE on the wharf.

#### VIII. Roads

All roads that are prone to flooding will be CLOSED for the duration of the storm.

### After Storm

Areas where destruction and flooding have occurred will be CLOSED to ALL traffic except emergency personnel. Property owners and residents of these areas may obtain passes to access their property. Passes will be available at Town Hall.

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(418) Wareham Wonderful Wareham Condo in immaculate condition. 2 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, new kitchen appliances. \$89,900. Jocelyn daLuz 758-9322



(508) Fairhaven 3 bedroom 1.5 bath Cape on lovely landscaped lot. Family room to deck overlooking garden. Many extras. \$169,000. Jocelyn daLuz 758-9322



(416) East Wareham Just under 1/4 acre wooded lot located in desirable area of Wareham. Deeded Beach Rights. \$38,000. Jocelyn daLuz



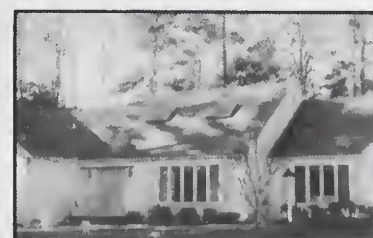
(740) Marion 5 bedroom, 2 baths, clever floor plan separates formal living from private family wing. \$299,000. Sharon Doyon 758-2208



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(168) Mattapoisett 3 bedrooms home with detached garage, living room, short walk to beach. \$137,900. Elaine Gaspar 999-9743

# Mattapoisett Storm Procedures

The following persons should be contacted if you have further questions or concerns relating to:

- General Hurricane Preparedness - William Simpson, Civil Defense Director: 758-2995 or 758-4100;
- Buildings and Grounds - Andrew Bobola, Building Inspector: 758-4116;
- Boats and Moorings - Steve Mach, Harbormaster: 758-4191;
- Fire Protection - Ronald Scott, Fire Chief: 758-4150;
- Police/Ambulance - James Moran, Police Chief: 758-4141;
- Shelters - Linda East-Boyd, Town Nurse: 758-4118;
- Generator Information - Andrew Bobola, Building Inspector: 758-4116;
- Water/Sewer - William Nicholson, Water/Sewer Superintendent: 758-4161;
- Road Closures - Wesley Bowman, Highway Surveyor: 758-4181;
- Trees - Marshall Pryce, Tree Warden: 758-2348 or 758-4100;
- All other information - Selectmen's Office: 758-4100.

## Traffic Pattern Map for use in the Event of a Hurricane



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museum and marvel at the fine collection of Mattapoisett history that is here. The museum staff thanks all those who came to visit and hopes it will result in more visits and more memberships.

The Mattapoisett Museum and Carriage House will be open through August 29 on Tuesday through Saturday from 1:00 to 4:30 pm. Admission is \$2 for adults and 50 cents for children. Don't forget they also have a small gift corner with such things as self-guiding walking tours of the village, note paper, postcards of Mattapoisett scenes, the new "History is Here" t-shirts, and other items of historical interest.

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### Sketching by the Sea

The New Bedford Art Museum is conducting a series of classes in the area titled "Sketching by the Sea" for both beginners and experienced artists. The next sessions are slated for Friday, August 7 and Friday, August 28 from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. The August 7 session will take place at Ned's Point in Mattapoisett. Please bring your own sandwich and they will provide

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### Rummage Sale in Marion

The Annual Rummage Sale sponsored by the Friends of Marion Visiting Nurses, the Volunteers At Sippican Elementary (VASE), and the Marion Police Brotherhood will be held on Saturday, September 19 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm at Sippican School, 16 Spring Street in Marion. Please note that this is a new sale location, due to construction at Tabor Academy. This is a wonderful

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Items may be dropped off at Burr Brothers boat storage (off Route 6, behind Thompson Engineering, next to Marion Indoor Tennis) on Saturday, August 8 from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. Sippican School will be open to receive donated articles Monday through Thursday, September 14 to 17 (9:00 am to 4:00 pm). For information on the sale, please call JoAnne Gibbs (748-3822). To arrange for pick up of a large item or a large load, please call Craig Parker (763-5245).

### Project GROW Applications

A recent mailing, based on town census information, was sent to all families with age-eligible children — the mailing contained a brochure and application materials for the Project GROW preschool program. If you did not receive a mailing, have an age-eligible child, and are interested in this program, you may pick up an application at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools located at Old Rochester Regional High School, 135 Marion Road, Mattapoisett, MA. Priority will be given to applications received by August 14.

Project GROW, the local public school early childhood program, is seeking students for the upcoming school year. Anticipated state grants, combined with local funds, support the operation of the program. Project GROW classrooms are located in Center School in Mattapoisett, Memorial School in Rochester, and Sippican School in Marion. All classes run for four hours a day. Starting this fall, the schedule will change with classes held Tuesday through Friday. The program follows the public school calendar and is tuition-free. Parents are responsible for providing transportation to and from school each day. Efforts are made to assist parents in forming carpools.

Enrollment is open to all children residing in Marion, Mattapoisett, or Rochester who were born between January 1, 1994 and September 1, 1995. Preference will be given to children from low-income



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Each class consists of up to fifteen students, the majority of whom are students with special needs. The program is staffed by a certified teacher and an aide. As a family-centered program, parents play an active and vital role in the educational experience through a wide variety of parent-involvement opportunities. Home visits are also an integral part of Project GROW. The teacher visits each

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#### School Council

The Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School District is seeking community members to serve on its School Council. Community members must reside in the towns of Acushnet, Carver, Lakeville, Mattapoisett, or Rochester. The School Council is a representative, school-building based committee comprised of the principal, parents, teachers, community members and students. If interested in serving on the council, please call Mr. Gary Brown at 763-8011, extension 118.

#### Water Program

The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) Division of Water Supply recently recognized Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School in its 1998 Public Water System Certification Program. The program identified the Old Colony Water System in the top 15 percent in the state. In recognizing Old Colony, the DEP recognized the school's ability to consistently provide high-quality drinking water to the students and staff. In particular, Supervisor of Buildings and Grounds William Hubbard and his staff were complimented on their efforts.

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All proceeds will benefit Hearts and Hands, a non-profit organization which helps medically-fragile children in the area. For additional information on the auction or the organization, please contact the Hearts and Hands office at 758-1300 or visit their website at [www.s-t.com/hearts/](http://www.s-t.com/hearts/).

### Acushnet Apple-Peach Pageant

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### Mattapoisett Lighthouse Tours

The Ned's Point Lighthouse has been pointing the way into Mattapoisett Harbor for over 160 years. Built of rubble stone, with hand-hewn granite interior steps, its lamps were first lit on March 21, 1838.

The Town of Mattapoisett purchased the land around the lighthouse to create "Veterans of Mattapoisett Memorial Park" in 1952, but the Coast Guard still owns the lighthouse and .17 acre of land. Members of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 67, First District Northern Region adopted the lighthouse in 1993 and members of the "Lighthouse Team," under the direction of Lighthouse Keeper Clayton Hagy, soon began opening it to the public for tours.

This year the lighthouse will be open every Thursday in August from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. There is no charge for the tours, and each child must be accompanied by an adult.

### Used Book Sale in Marion

The Elizabeth Taber Library will hold its Annual Used Book Sale on Saturday, August 15 from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm at the Music Hall on Front Street in Marion. There will be a wide variety of hardcover and paperback books as well as video and audio tapes and records (remember those?) available. Proceeds from the sale will help support the library and its many programs. Come browse through the collection and you're sure to find some treasures. Donations of new or used books, tapes, records, or magazines are now being accepted at the library located at 8 Spring Street in Marion. After August 11, please bring donations directly to the Marion Music Hall. For more information, please call 748-1252.

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Animal Umbrella also needs volunteers to help with the cattery in Mattapoisett — if you have an extra hour you could spare on a given day to clean or visit and play, they would appreciate hearing from you. You will find it a rewarding experience.

The group has lots of adoptable kittens available including an orange tiger male, two adorable black and white females, a black and white male with double paws, a gray and white angora female, and several all-black ink spots. The tiny all-black dwarf male is also still available.

The adult feature this week is "Scarecrow," a very unique-looking spayed female named at the hospital where she was spayed. She is mostly white with black on her nose and tail. She loves people, but not other cats. She came from a shelter where she had been caged for months. She is now residing in a foster home in Mattapoisett. Other adult offerings include:

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## Mattapoisett Council on Aging

### Senior Picnic

The Mattapoisett Nursing Home is having a picnic on Thursday, August 20 and all Mattapoisett seniors are invited. Reservations for this event will be taken only until August 12. Call the COA office at 758-4110.

### Mall Trip

The next Mall Trip will be on Thursday, August 6 to the Galleria Mall in Taunton.

### Mystery Trips

The Mystery Trips for August will be held on August 7 and August 28.

### Shine Counselor

The Shine Counselor is at the Senior Center on Monday from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon to answer any questions about health insurance. You do not need an appointment to attend.

### Band Concerts

Mattapoisett Band Concerts are held every Wednesday evening during the summer at 7:30 pm. The senior van is going, so if you would like transportation please call 758-4110.

## Legal Consultation

The next Legal Consultation will be held on Thursday, August 20. Please call 758-4110 to set up an appointment with Attorney Moore.

## Marion Celebrates Open Space

On August 27 from 5:00 to 8:00 pm, the Town of Marion will enjoy a clambake and great music at one of its favorite open spaces, Silvershell Beach. Hosted by the Sippican Lands Trust, this "all-town block party" will provide Rhythm 'N' Blues, clams, lobster, (or steak/chicken) and a whole lot more, including a kid's BBQ. Superb music will be provided by the area's renowned Blu Lobsta.

Music and drinks begin at 5:00 pm, and the grills open at 6:15. Bring your friends and house guests for a delightful summer evening of good food, great entertainment, convivial socializing, and dancing barefoot in the sand! Tickets are now on sale at the Marion General Store and The Bookstall, or may be obtained by calling the Sippican Lands Trust office at 748-3080 before August 20.

## Fairhaven Summer Fun Fair

The North Fairhaven Improvement Association (NFIA) announces its annual Summer Fun Fair being held this year on August 9 in Livesey Memorial Park. The hours of the fair will be from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Once again the "Made in the Shade Car Show" will be a featured highlight of the fair, along with the "Made in the Shade Motorcycle Show," it looks like a very good turnout this year. Car and motorcycle show hours will be 8:00 am to 3:00 pm. A car corral will be the place to go if you are looking for an automobile. Both new, used and classic vehicles will be on display. Automobile-related booths will also be a part of the show this year.

The first 150 cars to register will receive a dashboard plaque and the first 100 motorcycles to register will receive a dash plaque. The winner of last year's "Best of Show" will have their car featured on the auto dash plaque this year, and next year that car will be featured on the wall plaques awarded to the winners in each class, while this year's "Best of Show" will be on the dash plaques next year.

The NFIA will also pay the \$100 entry fee to enter the winner of the "Best of Show" vehicle in the "Super Wheels Showdown" put on in the Boston area by *New England Cruisin' Magazine*.

The children's games have had a new facelift with the addition of several new games to appeal to a more diverse age group. Several games are planned throughout the day such as wheel barrel races, tug of war, sack races, and three-legged races. Once again, the infamous dunk tank will be in operation ... come see who the brave of heart are sitting on the hot seat! To date, Chairman of the Finance Committee, Dr. Brian Bowcock, has agreed to allow the Fairhaven taxpayer an opportunity to vent by



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The Arts and Crafts Show will once again draw the interest of everyone as well as the addition of antique vendors this year.

The Fairhaven Police Department is coordinating a Bicycle Safety Rodeo in the tennis courts from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. "McDonald's Certificates of Completion" will be presented to the participants.

NFIA also welcomes the DARE Program to the fair this year, with their table of handouts. Also new this year in conjunction with the Fairhaven Board of Health, the Greater New Bedford Tobacco Control Program will be providing information on tobacco cessation opportunities and giveaways and will conduct surveys.

Other scheduled events include:

- 10:00 - 11:00 am - Michael Lynn Jr. Making Balloon Animals (stage near south side of tennis courts);
- 11:00 - 11:30 am - Bristol County Sheriff's Department K-9 Dog Demonstration;
- 11:00 - 11:30 am - Magic Clown Performance (stage near south side of tennis courts);
- 12:00 noon - 12:30 pm - Steve Arsenault's Kenpo Karate Martial Arts Demonstration;
- 12:00 noon - 12:30 pm - Susan's Dance Studio Demonstration;
- 12:30 - 1:30 pm - Balloon Animal Show (reprise);
- 1:00 - 1:30 pm - Sheriff's Department K-9 Dog Demonstration (reprise);
- 1:30 - 2:00 pm - Magic Clown Show (reprise).

The NFIA is proud to present Fairhaven's own Tobey Dills' "Storyteller." He will entertain everyone with his ability to tell a story from 2:00 to 3:00 pm — a sure treat!

In the Softball Field area this year there will be a Fairhaven Fire Department Apparatus Demonstration from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm.

The Ice Skating area of the skate park will be made available for drawing your favorite picture on the asphalt in chalk, free-of-charge. At the Little League field you can also make giant bubbles all day for free (or while the tub of soap lasts).

Food booths will also be offering several items to eat and drink.

The Deterra Cows of East Fairhaven will be romping the park again. NFIA is giving away \$1,000 in prize money to the lucky "Cow Chip Ticket Holders." Haven't you always wanted to own land in Fairhaven? Now for \$5 you can (for one day) own a three-foot by three-foot piece of Livesey Park. Two cows will roam a fenced-off area and the first dropping will be worth \$200, the second \$300, and the third \$500. Tickets may be purchased in advance or at the fair that day. The event starts at 11:00 am until 2:00 pm or whenever the cows decide to end it. Come early and coach your cow over to your square! Good luck!

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### Charity Auction in Acushnet

Therapists from the I. H. Schwartz Children's Rehabilitation Center in New Bedford are organizing a Charity Auction to benefit the non-profit agency. The auction is set for 6:30 pm on Saturday, August 29 at the Genco Auction Hall, 589 Middle Road in Acushnet. Preview time is 4:30 to 6:30 pm and admission is FREE.

Among the items to be auctioned are a Princess Diana Beanie Baby, a signed Mo Vaughn baseball, antique bedroom and dining room sets, an overnight for two to Cuttyhunk Island including transportation, lodging and a lobster dinner, a handmade quilt, new five-speed bike, and a gift certificate for an Italian suit tailored to size. Physical therapy assistants Deanne Goulet and Lisa Fournier and occupational therapist Margaret Alden have been collecting new and used items since May with the assistance of auctioneer David Sirois.

Donations to the auction will be accepted through August 29. Anyone interested in making a donation may call the Schwartz Center at 996-3391. The Schwartz Center is a free-standing, non-profit clinic providing physical, occupational and speech therapy, Early Intervention services, and educational services to children who have developmental delays or disabilities or who are at risk for having developmental delays.

### Fifth Annual Pro-Am Regatta

The 1998 American Cancer Society's Fifth Annual Pro-Am Regatta will be held on August 14 and 15 at Billy Wood's Wharf in New Bedford. The 1998 MX-Ray National Championship will be held at this year's Pro-Am Regatta. Additional sailing events include a Radio-Controlled Model Sailboat Regatta featuring a team of former NHL Hockey Stars and Heavyweight Boxing Champion Peter McNeeley and the Second Annual Optimist Dinghy Regatta for kids (ages 8 to 15).

1998 Co-Chairman Francis O. Grenon said: "Last year over \$50,000 in donations and in-kind gifts was raised for the American Cancer Society." To date, 20 boats ranging from 27 to 60 feet in length have already applied for the event.

The regatta will include a Pro-Am Cruising Class series and a racing series. "Pro-Am" means that the skipper and two or three experienced crew members (pros) sail a cruise-pursuit format race with friends or associations who have not experienced sailboat racing (ams). Crews are expected to obtain donations by means of pledges, sale of raffle tickets, or sponsorships with each entered boat urged to raise a minimum of \$1,000. The entry fee for cruising and racing classes is \$175 and for the Optimist Class is \$25.

John Ghiorse from WJAR Channel 10 will be Guest of Honor at the post-race festivities held on August

15. Festivities will include a gourmet cookout and clamboil, entertainment, and raffles from 8:00 pm to midnight. Tickets for the cookout and clamboil are \$25 and must be purchased in advance. The location at Billy Wood's Wharf gives all spectators a premier view of all race activities. The race can also be viewed from the *Ernestina*. Donations to board the *Ernestina* are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 14. All events are open to the public. For more information about entering your boat in the regatta events or attending the Saturday activities, please call 996-0166.

### Mariner Scout Reunion

An October reunion will bring together former Girl Scout Mariners and their leaders from across the United States. Those who sailed on the brigantine *Yankee* or the *Brilliant* or were part of the *Joseph Conrad* Mariner program are especially welcome. Exy Johnson of the *Yankee* will be a special guest.

Let's be sure the Fairhaven Mariner Ship "Wanderer" is well-represented. Nancy Richardson of National Girl Scout headquarters is planning overnight and day sails along with an interesting weekend. Accommodations are available aboard the *Joseph Conrad*, the *Brilliant*, the *Westward*, the *Mystic Whaler*, or in local motels.

For more information and registration, please contact Suzanne Reardon, Mystic Seaport Museum, Inc., P.O. Box 6000, Mystic, CT 06355-0990, or call 1-800-572-5323. You can also e-mail her at: [suzanne@mystic.org](mailto:suzanne@mystic.org).

### Olde Tyme Faire in Mattapoisett

At the Mattapoisett Congregational Church on Saturday, August 8 from 9:30 to 1:00 pm, an Olde Tyme Faire will be held. A large indoor sale, yard sale, children's activities, fire engine rides, bake sale, hot dogs, used books, and more will be featured at the event. The fair will be held rain or shine.

### VFW Clambake in Marion

The Benjamin D. Cushing Post 2425 VFW will hold its 52nd Annual Clambake on Sunday, August 9 at 1:30 pm at the VFW Pavilion on Route 6 in Marion. A donation is requested of \$20 per person and tickets can be obtained by calling 295-2848, 947-8799, or 748-0791.

### Concerts in Fairhaven Center

The Fairhaven Improvement Association is once again sponsoring a series of "Music in the Center" concerts. These five concerts are all held on the steps of Fairhaven's magnificent Town Hall on Center Street. Bring a lawn chair or blanket and listen to music as the sun sets. There is plenty of room for dancing and chalk art fun for the kids. In case of rain, concerts will be held in the Town Hall Auditorium.

Following is a schedule of upcoming concerts, all



of which are slated to begin at 7:00 pm:

- August 6 - Memory Lane II. A big hit last year with music from the 50's, 60's and 70's.
- August 13 - Meadowlarks. Music in the Center would not be complete without this Music 15-piece band presenting the songs of the Big Band era and more.

For more information on the concerts, please contact: Nina Catelli Vincent at 997-0694, or e-mail [ninacatv@ultranet.com](mailto:ninacatv@ultranet.com). This project is supported in part by a grant from the Fairhaven Arts Council, a local agency supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.

### CBB Seeks "Baywatchers"

The Coalition for Buzzards Bay's (CBB) water-quality monitoring program, "Baywatchers," has begun its seventh season of water testing in the 28 major harbors and coves surrounding Buzzards Bay. The CBB is a non-profit, regional environmental organization dedicated to the protection, restoration, and sustainable use of Buzzards Bay and its watershed. The CBB works to "Save Buzzards Bay" with 60 to 80 dedicated citizens who are helping to monitor the health of the bay waters.

Baywatchers are citizen volunteers who can be sighted weekly during the early morning hours between 6:00 and 9:00 am collecting samples of the bay from piers and docks in every town from Westport to Woods Hole. Volunteers are trained, equipped with a water quality

sampling kit, and assigned a sampling site to monitor and test.

The water samples are tested for temperature, salinity, water clarity, and dissolved oxygen. The data collected is used to establish a yearly record of the water quality of the bay, evaluate the success of clean-up efforts by the surrounding towns, and highlight areas in need of restoration. In the first five years important trends in water quality have been determined and noted in a comprehensive Baywatchers Report.

Since May, core volunteers have been retrained and new volunteers are being recruited, trained and are currently out monitoring. However, volunteers are still needed at the following sites:

- Marion - Hiller's Cove;
- Fairhaven - Fairhaven Ship Yard, Fort Phoenix, Nasketucket River Bridge;
- New Bedford - Acushnet River (Wood Street Bridge).

If you are interested in participating in the water testing, the CBB can use your help. Please call Tony Williams (Water Quality Coordinator) at 999-6363.

### Friends of the Elderly - Mattapoisett

Mattapoisett Seniors: Don't forget to get your tickets for the Friends of the Elderly's annual picnic to be held at the Mattapoisett Senior Center on August 14 at 12:30 pm. They will be serving hot dogs, hamburgers,

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# MOVIE REVIEW

## Double Dealers

BY ROB GONSALVES  
local@wanderer.com

■ *The Negotiator*. Starring Samuel L. Jackson and Kevin Spacey. Directed by F. Gary Gray. Running time: 139 minutes. MPAA rating: R. At Cinema 140 in New Bedford.

There's something a bit cheesy about a studio packaging a routine thriller with great actors; you find yourself compelled to catch a B-movie you wouldn't bother with if it starred, say, Steven Seagal and Howie Long. *The Negotiator*, which stars Samuel L. Jackson and Kevin Spacey — two actors who couldn't be boring if they were asleep for an entire film — goes a step further: it's a B-movie you wouldn't bother with if it starred, say, *anyone* else. Essentially, the movie is Jackson and Spacey. Take them away and you have an overlong, underplausible hostage drama that might have been done better, and shorter, on any number of TV shows.

Jackson is Danny Roman, a Chicago hostage negotiator framed for the murder of a fellow cop. Enraged and desperate, he storms into the Internal Affairs offices and takes a few hostages of his own — including the IA chief (J.T. Walsh) who might have been in on the frame-up. The first demand Danny makes, and gets, is Chris Sabian (Spacey), a cool-cucumber negotiator who takes quick and quiet control of the situation — despite the itchy trigger fingers of the feds and SWAT team. Danny's ultimate demand, though, is that the police catch the real murderer.

As efficiently as a big Hollywood movie like this can be done — and director F. Gary Gray does a credible job — a vague feeling of inevitability and boredom may settle into your bones before you even sit down. If this were, say, an intense little art-house film with nobody you've ever heard of, the stakes would seem higher and the action more tense precisely *because* the actors aren't well-known and can therefore die at any time. For the most part, though, the conclusion of a big-budget movie like *The Negotiator* is depressingly foregone. Aside from the identity of the killer (and even that's no big whoop), the script by James DeMonaco and Kevin Fox has no surprises and no real depths for these great actors to explore.



To praise Jackson and Spacey would be redundant, since they're good here in the same ways they've been great elsewhere (which is a problem in itself). Jackson, a master of blistering rhetoric, has his best scene early on when he's quizzing an inept negotiator — though it steals

not only from a similar hostage dialogue between a psycho kid and a sweaty principal in Stephen King's novel *Rage*, but also from Jackson's own "Say 'What?' one more time, I dare ya" bit in *Pulp Fiction*. Yet after a while his performance becomes a tad monotonous — for which I blame the script, which seldom gives him anything to play except "Must find the killer."

Spacey, as always, manages to suggest flashes of private amusement beneath his toneless line readings. But he's best when that tonelessness also hides dark secrets, and here he's playing too much of a standard-issue good guy, the negotiator who'll go out of his way to avoid bloodshed. He delivers a perfectly plausible and professional performance, but the only time I really rose to his work was when Sabian first takes command and declares that the only valid orders will now come from *him*. There's a quiet but steely authority in his voice that the movie lacks.

One other reason I allowed myself to look forward to *The Negotiator* was that it was directed by F. Gary Gray, whose 1996 *Set It Off* was a sleeper hit for a reason: far from being a *Waiting to Exhale* Meets *Thelma & Louise*, as it was often advertised, it was a sharp and crackling examination of crime and the poverty-level lives that lead to it. So I left this movie a bit baffled; there doesn't seem to have been any motivation for Gray to direct it except to prove he can do a big formula thriller. He can, but not that well; the movie wears out its welcome at about the 90-minute mark and still has almost another hour to go. After some thought, I finally decided that Jackson and Spacey signed onto the project so they'd get to work with each other, and that Gray signed on so he'd get to work with *them* (who wouldn't want to?). That's understandable. What isn't understandable is how this film, with the talent involved all around, turned out so blah. Or maybe it's not such a mystery: A boring script made by a fine director and great actors is still a boring script.

### MOVIE LISTINGS

#### CINEMA 140

376 Hathaway Road, New Bedford, MA.  
Movie Lines: 999-6577, 999-4233 / Office: 999-4240.

Friday (August 7) through Thursday (August 13)

**Saving Private Ryan** (R) — 12:00, 1:00, 3:15, 4:15,  
6:30, 7:30, 9:50

**Small Soldiers** (PG-13) — 2:30, 6:45

**Mafia!** (PG-13) — 12:30, 4:45, 9:15

**The Mask of Zorro** (PG-13) — 12:15, 3:00, 7:00, 9:50

**The Negotiator** (R) — 12:15, 3:15, 6:45, 9:45

**Ever After** (PG-13) — 12:00, 2:20, 4:50, 7:15, 9:40

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**Armageddon** (PG-13) — 1:00, 4:20, 7:30

**The Parent Trap** (PG) — 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:30

**There's Something About Mary** (R) — 12:50, 1:30, 3:30,  
4:30, 6:50, 7:20, 9:20, 9:40

**Halloween H20** (R) — 12:40, 1:20, 3:20, 4:40, 5:10,  
6:40, 7:20, 9:00, 9:30

**Lethal Weapon 4** (R) — 1:10, 4:10, 6:40, 9:20

**Disturbing Behavior** (R) — 12:30, 3:00, 5:10, 7:10, 9:40

**Mulan** (G) — 12:50, 3:10, 5:00

**BASEketball** (R) — 6:50, 9:00

**Madeline** (PG) — 12:40, 2:50, 5:00, 7:10, 9:10

**Dr. Dolittle** (PG-13) — 1:10, 3:00, 4:50, 6:50, 9:00

**Snake Eyes** (R) — 12:30, 2:40, 4:50, 7:00, 9:10



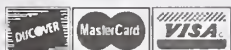
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### **Acushnet Council on Aging**

#### *Barbecue*

The Acushnet Council on Aging is having a barbecue on the grounds of the Parting Ways Building on Sunday, August 16 from 12:00 noon to 4:00 pm. Tickets are \$3 per person and there will be food, entertainment, and a free raffle.

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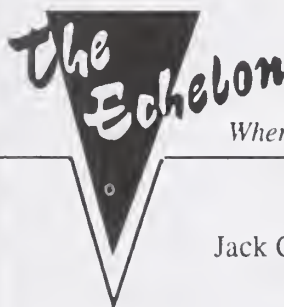
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- Point Road – animal complaint
- Creek Road – adult arrest (default warrant, larceny by check)
- Spring Street – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Wareham Road – motor vehicle accident/personal injury
- Point Road – suspicious person
- Wareham Road – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Wareham Road – annoying phone calls
- Island Wharf Road – animal complaint
- Main Street – motor vehicle accident/personal injury
- Island Wharf Road – found property
- Front Street – animal complaint
- Mill Street – operating under the influence
- County Road – animal complaint
- Front Street – officer wanted
- Pleasant Street – vehicle fire
- Front Street – assist other police department/juvenile arrest (warrant)
- Front Street – officer wanted
- Front Street – suspicious activity
- Front Street – annoying phone calls
- Delano Road – youths in street
- Register Road – animal complaint
- Spring Street – disturbance
- South Street – noise complaint
- Point Road – arcing wires
- Wareham Road – adult arrest (default warrant, motor vehicle viola-

tions)

- Marvel Street – animal complaint
- Point Road – officer wanted
- County Road – youths in street
- Delano Road – animal complaint
- Wianno Road – breaking and entering/past
- Mansfield Avenue – animal complaint.

## ■ MATTAPOISETT

*The following log excerpts are for the week of July 26 through August 1, 1998:*

- Town Wharf – maritime complaint
- Prospect Road – noise complaint/loud car
- Melissa Anne Lane – found parrot
- Acushnet Road – barking dog complaint
- Route 195 West – suspicious motor vehicle
- Park Street – annoying/obscene phone calls
- Tobey Lane – harassing phone calls
- County Road – loose dog in road
- Pine Street – adult arrest (violation of no contact order)
- Mattapoisett Neck Road – complaint regarding cars parked on road
- County Road – operating under the influence of alcohol
- Water Street – motor vehicle accident
- Acushnet Road – complaint/harassed by passing motorist
- Second Street – unwanted person
- Brandt Island Road – larceny/theft of bicycle
- Ocean Drive – juvenile matter
- Tallman Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Tallman Street – adult arrest (warrant)
- Reservation Road – found lost dog
- North Street – harassing phone calls
- Water Street – vandalism to motor

vehicle

- County Road – youths in road
- North Street – attempted breaking and entering/forced entry
- Pearl Street – vandalism/property damage
- Long Plain Road – motor vehicle accident
- North Street – disturbance/fight
- Randall Lane – disturbance/fight/loud bangs
- Marion Road – attempted suicide.

## ■ ROCHESTER

*The following log excerpts are for the week of July 26 through August 3, 1998:*

- Burgess Avenue – suspicious motor vehicle
- New Bedford Road – animal complaint
- North Avenue – suspicious motor vehicle
- Bates Road – suspicious activity
- Walnut Plain Road – adult arrest (warrant)
- Snipatuit Road – investigation
- Route 28 – motor vehicle accident
- Bennett Road – animal complaint
- Walnut Plain Road – suspicious activity
- Neck Road – adult arrest (warrant)
- Murphy's Auto Salvage – vandalism
- Marion Road – adult arrest (warrant)
- Hiller Road – report of coyotes howling
- St. Rose of Lima Church – suspicious activity
- Knight and Look Campground – disorderly conduct
- Knight and Look Campground – trailer fire
- Clarke Court – animal complaint.



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Massages will be held at the Acushnet Senior Center on Thursday afternoon from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. You must sign up ahead for this service.

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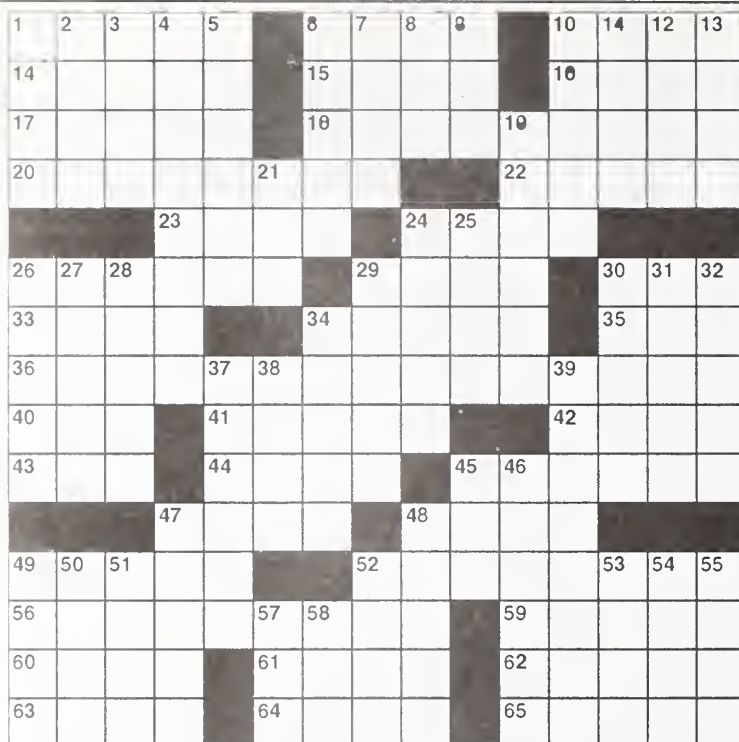
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27 Japanese verse  
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30 Happening  
31 Rich cake
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34 Attempts  
37 Litter of pigs  
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39 Colored handkerchief  
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46 Nab  
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48 Jinx  
49 Biblical book  
50 Dinner course  
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## This Week's Horoscope

by Linda Black

**Aries (March 21-April 19).** Pay attention to details even if you'd rather be doing something else. A fun relationship could develop.

**Taurus (April 20-May 20).** Looks like you'd rather stay in bed. If you can, definitely do. It's not that you're sick, it's just that you'd like to have some quality time.

**Gemini (May 21-June 21).** Avoid an argument with a friend by doing what he or she wants. The other person is probably right anyway.

**Leo (July 23-Aug. 22).** You'll profit through your own sharp wit. Don't think you know it all, however. That would be a big mistake. There's lots more you can learn.

**Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22).** Your ruling planet, Mercury, goes retrograde. That'll make it a little more difficult to communicate for a couple of weeks.

**Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23).** Hurry and finish old business so you can start something new. You're very lucky and projects should work out well. That's especially true if it has anything to do with communication, so send that manuscript to the publisher.

**Scorpio (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).** Get your team ready for a big project. You're inundated with paperwork. If you stay well-organized and delegate, you can complete it. That's where the team comes in handy.

**Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21).** Watch for an excellent career opportunity. A friend will turn you on to it but you could take action. Teamwork is required to achieve your goals.

**Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).** Don't start a new project. Although it looks good, there are unrevealed problems. Discuss your project with your mentor.

**Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).** You and your partner can set up a budget even if you've tried and failed before. Contact with a foreigner brings useful information and could provide the item you're seeking.

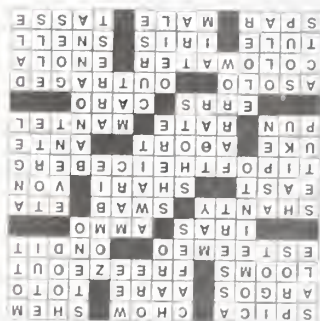
**Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20).** You bring somebody good luck. Give them a shove in the right direction, too.

**If You're Having a Birthday This Week:** You're strong, cheerful and lucky this year. You're also smart. Neighbors and siblings are important in your life this year. They'll teach you what you need to know, if you'll take the time to listen.

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every Monday and Wednesday, Scrabble on Tuesday, Massage on Thursday, and Card Games on Friday at the Senior Center, 130 Main Street in Acushnet. The Acushnet Council on Aging office is open daily, 9:00 am to 2:00 pm.

### Quilt Show in Fairhaven

The Shining Tide Quilters of Fairhaven will be sponsoring a Quilt Show at the Unitarian Memorial Church, 102 Green Street. The event will take place on Saturday, September 26 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, and on Sunday, September 27 from 12:00 noon to 4:00 pm. A donation of \$3 will be accepted at the door. As a special feature of the show, there will be quilts from Fairhaven's sister city in Japan. For more information, please call 758-3547.

### ORR Class of '83 Reunion

The Old Rochester Regional High School Class of 1983 will be holding their 15-year high school reunion on Friday, August 21 at the Hawthorne Country Club. They have been unable to locate the following individuals: Christine Adams, Joao Pedro Arsenio, Albert Barboza, Susan Blodgett, Colleen Brennan, Sherri Cook Ribeiro, Christine Dudley, Richard Lopes, Frank McKeone, Robin Rezendez Lamb, and Edward Silva Jr. If you have any information on these classmates, please contact Linda Couto Ferreira at 979-4384.

### Millicent Library - Fairhaven

#### Summer Reading Program

The Youth Services Librarian is looking for readers ages 9 to 14 who are interested in volunteering for a "Cutter's Club" on Tuesday afternoons in the summer. Volunteers would help cut out construction paper projects for the Youth Services Librarian. Volunteers must be registered for the Summer Reading Program to participate. Interested readers may contact Lisa Howard at 992-5342.

### NBHS Class of 1948 Reunion

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already been sent out. If you graduated and didn't receive one, please contact Susan Gardiner at (508) 997-9122.

### Mattapoisett Public Library

#### Volunteer Award

Nominations for the first recipient of the Philip Zeimet Volunteer Award are being sought by the Trustees of the Mattapoisett Public Library. Bette Roberts, Chairman of the Trustees, said the award has been established to recognize outstanding volunteer service by an individual or group that directly benefits the town. The name of this individual or group will be engraved on a plaque to be hung in the library.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

### TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, August 10, 1998 at 7:20 P.M. in the Town Hall on the Request for a Determination submitted by Alfred & Elva B. Zarhin, 222 Brookline Street, Needham, MA 02492. The proposed project is to replace a cesspool with a 1500 gallon precast concrete septic tank. The project is located at 60 Shore Drive, Harbor Beach and is further described as Lot #12 on Assessor Map #4. Conservation Commission 8/6

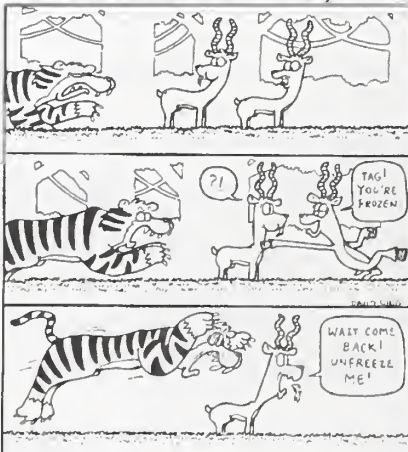
### TOWN OF ROCHESTER SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD

Notice is hereby given that the Soil Conservation Board will conduct a public hearing on the application of Theodore Brillon, who is seeking an agricultural permit to allow removal of 15,000 cubic yards of earth to complete construction of a one acre cranberry bog. Property is located at 287 Snipatuit Road, Assessors plan 37 lots 59 and 60. Public hearing will be conducted on August 13, 1998 at 7:30pm in the Rochester Town Hall.

Michael Soares, Chairman 07/30, 08/06

### Aminals

By David Sung



Not only does nature weed out the sick and injured, but also the stupid.

## LEGAL NOTICES

### TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following applications and petition:

Petition of Monika S. Weldon and Peter B. Belanger of 109 Marion Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 109 Marion Road. The petitioners are seeking a Variance under Sections III.E and II.A of the Zoning By-Law to place a larger sign on their property than what is allowed under the Zoning By-Law. The property is further described as Lot 105, Plot 23 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Selectmen's Office on Thursday, August 20, 1998 at 7:00 P.M. #836

Application of Joanne Hess of 12 Oakland Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 12 Oakland Street. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under Section III.A.2.b of the Zoning By-Law to exceed the 35 foot height restriction as stated in the Zoning By-Law. The applicants proposal is to change her 2 bedroom cape to a two-story colonial. The property is further described as Lot 57, Plot 8 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Selectmen's Office on Thursday, August 20, 1998 at 7:20 P.M. #837

Application of Brian and Lois Sager of 4 Old Tree Farm Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 4 Old Tree Farm Road. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Section III.B.2 of the Zoning By-Law to construct a garage larger than the 864 square feet allowed under the Zoning By-Laws. The property is further described as Lot 32, Plot 2 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Selectmen's Office on Thursday, August 20, 1998 at 7:40 P.M. #838

Application of Scott Parker of 4 Waterman Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at Upland Way. The applicant is seeking a Special Permit under Section VI.C.1 of the Zoning By-Law to use the R-20 Zoning District to construct a single family dwelling. The lot is located under the R-20 and GB Zoning Districts. The property is further described as Lot 196A, Plot 16 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Selectmen's Office on Thursday, August 20, 1998 at 8:00 P.M. #839

Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.

Sincerely,  
William D. Armitage, Chairperson  
Jeffrey R. Chase  
Robert Bertrand  
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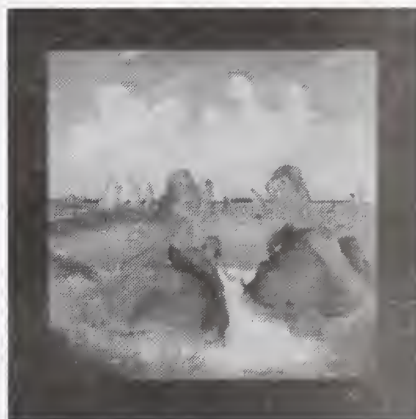
maintenance of the library and to other organizations in Mattapoisett, Ms. Roberts said. Nominations may be made by individuals or groups. They should be made by August 15 in writing, stating justification for the award, and be sent to: Philip Zeimet Volunteer Award, P.O. Box 475, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

The selection committee will include a representative of the library trustees, a representative of the town selected by the Selectmen, a member of the Zeimet family, and a representative of each church in Mattapoisett.

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**YARD SALE - Olde Tyme Faire**, Children's Activities. August 8 - 9:30am-1pm, rain or shine, Mattapoisett Congregational Church, 27 Church Street.

Old Rochester Regional Junior High School "End of Summer" Workshops August 24-28, 1998 Times 8:00 am - 9:30 am. Magic Math Workshop - A review of addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions, decimals, place value, and more. Intended for students entering ORRJHS in the fall. Survival Skills Workshop - A look at applied study and organizational skills for students that are currently enrolled at ORRJHS in either the 7th or 8th grade. Registration forms are available at: Old Rochester Regional Junior High School, 133 Marion Road, Mattapoisett, MA between the hours of 9:00 am and 12:00 noon, Monday - Thursday. Note: No charge for workshops. Workshops will be held at the Junior High School.

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Voters approved a \$40,000 Proposition 2 1/2 override at the last election for architectural plans. The state will pay 45 percent of the total cost and the balance will be raised in a private fund-raising drive.

## New Hours

The Mattapoisett Public Library is now open on Saturday until 3:00 pm.

In the Fall, more evening hours will be added during the week, according to the newly-elected Chairman of the Library Trustees, Bette Roberts. The extra hours are in response to the results of a survey of library patrons earlier this year.

Ms. Roberts said the new hours are possible because two staff positions unfilled for about 10 months have been filled. Barbara Perrault has begun as a Technical Services staffer and Melissa Correia as Library Technician.

Other trustees elected to new positions this week were: Joan Andersen (clerk); Bob Walter (treasurer); Bob Atkinson (building and grounds); and Betty Theriault and Bob Walter (computer committee).

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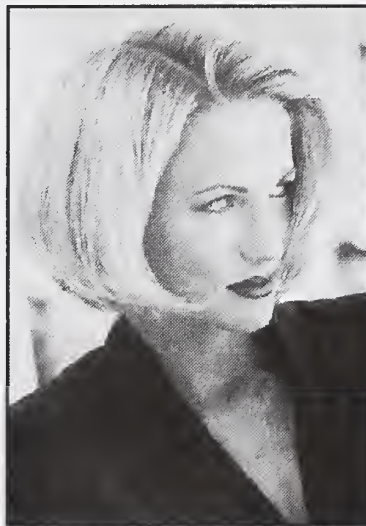
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Passes can be reserved at the library or by calling 758-4171, according to Sue Tweedy, Library Director. The pass program is financed by specified gifts, unspecified gifts and donations to the library.

### Marion Council on Aging

#### Chair Lift

A chair lift has been generously donated to the Marion Council on Aging for anyone to borrow who may need this piece of equipment. If you would like further information, please call 748-3570.

#### Walking Club

The Walking Club meets at 3:00 pm on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday in front of Sippican School. This is open to all ages.

#### Blood Pressure Clinic

The location of the Blood Pressure Clinic has been changed to Dr. Kootz's office at 312 Wareham Road in Marion. The hours are from 1:00 to 4:00 on Wednesday. This clinic is sponsored by the Friends of Marion Visiting Nurses.

#### Shopping

Shopping trips will be held every Tuesday — the van travels to the IGA in Wareham at 1:00 pm and on Friday at 9:00 am the van takes a trip to Shaw's in Fairhaven. Please call the COA at 748-3570 if you need a ride.

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- Unitarian Memorial Church Tours - Guided tours of the English Gothic "cathedral" built by millionaire H. H. Rogers are held Thursday and Friday afternoons in August from 2:00 to 4:00 pm, or by appointment (992-7081). The church is located at 102 Green Street, and the tours are FREE and sponsored by the Unitarian Memorial Church.

- Old Stone Schoolhouse - Tour the first one-room district school in Fairhaven, built in 1828, every Wednesday and Friday afternoon in August from 12:00 noon to 4:00 pm. The school is located on North Street, and admission for the tours is \$2 for adults and \$1 for children under 12. The tours are sponsored by the Fairhaven Improvement Association.

## Mattapoisett Town Clerk

### *Dog Licenses*

Reminder to all who are the owners of dogs that do not have a 1998 license that they were due to be renewed on April 1. Presently, the \$10 per dog late fee is being imposed and the next step is court action. We urge all owners to comply as soon as possible!

### *Head Life Guard*

A Head Life Guard is needed for the Mattapoisett Town Beach. Please call 758-4103 for further information.

## Mattapoisett Seniors

### *Upcoming Trips*

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- October 1 through 4 - Fall Foliage Penn Dutch/Gettysburg trip. Program includes six meals, a trip to Chocolate World USA, an Amish Family Feast, an Amish Wedding, and Dinner Theater. Cost is \$299 per person.

- December 29 through January 2 - Five-Day California Trip to Tournament of Roses Parade, New Year's Party, Mann's Chinese Theater, Star's Walk of Fame, and the like. Price is \$1,199 per person.

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- May 17 through 21 - Beacon Montreal Tour including Beacon Resort and Montreal Chateau Champlain. Tour Montreal, visit Montreal Casino, dinner at Le Festin du Gouverneur, Cruise Le Bateau Mouche. Cost is \$425 per person.

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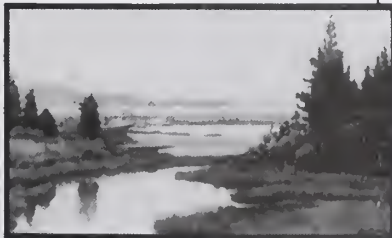
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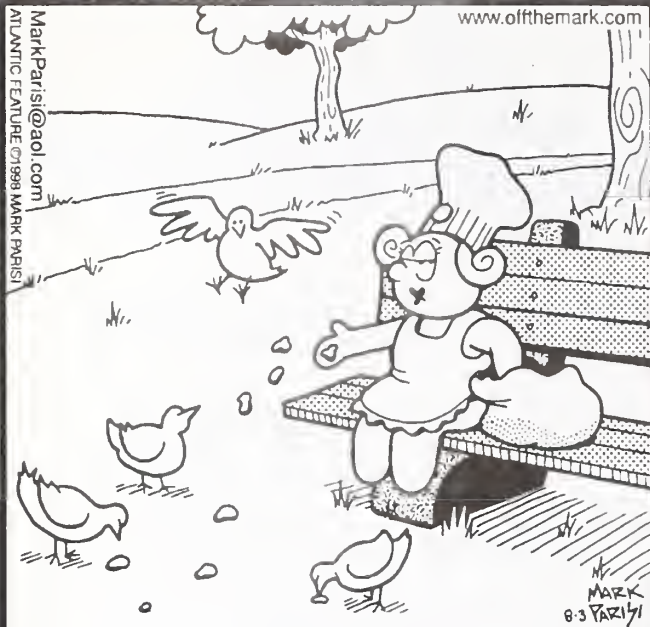
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August 7:	Fri.	8:03	8:23	1:29	1:32
August 8:	Sat.	8:50	9:10	2:12	2:20
August 9:	Sun.	9:35	9:55	2:55	3:09
August 10:	Mon.	10:23	10:43	3:39	3:58
August 11:	Tues.	11:12	11:34	4:24	4:49
August 12:	Wed.	...	12:05	5:11	5:43
August 13:	Thur.	12:27	1:01	6:01	5:43
August 14:	Fri.	1:25	2:00	6:55	7:50
August 15:	Sat.	2:27	3:03	7:57	9:10
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August 19:	Wed.	6:26	6:51	12:39	12:32
August 20:	Thur.	7:15	7:38	1:24	1:20
August 21:	Fri.	8:01	8:22	2:02	2:02
August 22:	Sat.	8:44	9:04	2:34	2:39
August 23:	Sun.	9:26	9:45	3:04	3:13

### Phases of the Moon

Full Moon  
Last Quarter  
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First Quarter

August 7th  
August 14th  
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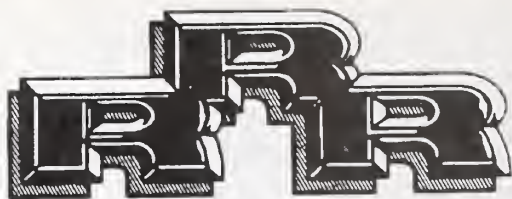
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